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Antimicrobial Resistance Symposium
Anchorage Sheraton Hotel 401 East 6th Avenue
Thursday-Friday, May 5-6, 2005

Registration fee is \$100 for one day and \$175 for both days. There is a late fee of \$25 for registration postmarked after March 30, 2005. Direct telephone inquiries to: (907) 269-8000. A block of hotel rooms at the Sheraton Hotel has been reserved for the special price of \$95 per night plus 8% tax. This price is guaranteed until March 30. Call Local 276-8700, Toll free in Alaska 1-800-478-8700, or Sheraton Reservations Worldwide 1-800-325-3535. Mention "APIC room block." Make conference registration payable to: APIC (Association of Practitioners in Infection Control and Epidemiology). Detach form and mail with check to:

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Thursday May 5, 2005

7:00 AM-8:00 AM: Registration and Breakfast
8:00 AM-8:30 AM: Welcome; **Ann Marie Bailey RN, APIC President**
Richard Mandsager MD, Director, Alaska Division of Public Health
8:30 AM-9:20 AM: When Good Bugs Go Bad — Bad Bugs Get Worse; **Jay Butler**
9:20 AM-10:10 AM: Impact of Community-Associated MRSA on Clinical Practice; **Robert Daum**
10:10 AM-10:30 AM: Break
10:30 AM-11:20 AM: How Do You Communicate the Message of Antibiotic Resistance to Your Patients in Thirty Seconds? **Patricia Cook**
11:20 AM-12:10 PM: How to Get Smart in Your State: the Experiences of the Oregon Alliance Working for Antibiotic Resistance Education (AWARE); **Ann Thomas**
12:10 PM-1:30 PM: Lunch (on your own)
1:30 PM-2:20 PM: Towards 100%: the Rapid Rise of MRSA; **Robert Daum**
2:20 PM-3:10 PM: MRSA in Alaska: Where Do We Go From Here? **Thomas Hennessy**
3:10 PM-3:30 PM: Break
3:30 PM-4:20 PM: A Collaborative Model for Controlling Antibiotic Resistance; **Monica Raymond**
4:20 PM-5:10 PM: Antimicrobial Resistance Projects of the Alaska Division of Public Health; **Louisa Castrodale**

5:30 PM-8:00 PM: Reception, Anchorage Sheraton Hotel
Cash Bar

Friday May 6, 2005

7:00 AM-8:30 AM: Registration and Breakfast
8:30 AM-9:20 AM: Community-Associated MRSA: Epidemiology and Intervention Update; **Daniel Jernigan**
9:20 AM-10:10 AM: Understanding HICPAC Guidelines; **William Rutala**
10:10 AM-10:30 AM: Break
10:30 AM-11:20 AM: A Tale of Two Critters: Antimicrobial Resistance Among the Pneumococcus and *Helicobacter pylori* in Alaska; **Thomas Hennessy**
11:20 AM-12:10 PM: How to Evaluate a Statewide Antimicrobial Resistance Program; **Ann Thomas**
12:10 PM-1:30 PM: Lunch (on your own)
1:30 PM-2:20 PM: Emergence of Multidrug Resistant *Acinetobacter* Infections; **Daniel Jernigan**
2:20 PM-3:10 PM: Disinfection and Sterilization; **William Rutala**
3:10 PM-3:30 PM: Break
3:30 PM-4:20 PM: Case presentations; **moderated by Jay Butler & Thomas Hennessy**

Schedule of Lectures and Events: May 5-6, 2005

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Course Objectives

Issues of antimicrobial resistance affect both clinical and public health practice. This course is designed to characterize current antimicrobial issues and to suggest methods for addressing these challenges. While this space does not allow a full accounting of the course objectives, here are a few selected objectives outlined by the course faculty:

- Understand the clinical spectrum of community-associated MRSA infections
- Understand the importance of having local data
- Understand the transmission issues identified from recent outbreak investigations of MRSA skin infections
- Understand the basic epidemiology of healthcare-associated multidrug resistant GNR bacterial infections
- Review the history of antimicrobial drugs and antimicrobial resistance
- Provide an overview of methods for controlling drug-resistant organisms
- Understand recent trends in antimicrobial resistance for pneumococci and *H. pylori* in Alaska

This course will be of interest to physicians, nurses, physician assistants and others who are helping in the direct care of patients or in public health positions who would like to learn more about current issues in antimicrobial resistance.

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